HAM BIOGRAPHIES

Mary (?-by 1678), daughter of Matthew Howard and wife Ann. UNCLE: Cornelius Howard (?-1680). AUNT: Elizabeth Howard, who married Henry Ridgeley (?-1710). BROTHERS: Thomas Hammond (?-ca. 1724/25); John Hammond (ca. 1665-1742/43); and William (?-1711/12), who married Elizabeth Cockey. SISTERS: Mary, who married Cornelius Howard (ca. 1670-1717), son of Cornelius Howard (?-1680); and Elizabeth, who married first, Richard Moss, and second, Thomas Cockey. FIRST COUSINS: Matthew Howard (ca. 1675-1750); Sarah Howard, who married first, John Worthington (1650-1701), and second, John Brice (?-1713). MARRIED his first cousin Hannah (1678-1752), daughter of Philip Howard and wife Ruth Baldwin: niece of both Cornelius Howard (?-1680) and Mary Howard, who married John Hammond (1643-1707). Hannah subsequently married Edmond Benson (1687-1734). Her first cousins were Matthew Howard (ca. 1675-1750); Sarah Howard, who married first, John Worthington (1650-1701), and second, John Brice (?-1713). CHILDREN. SONS: Charles Hammond (1692/93-1772), who married in 1715 Rachel (?-1748/49), widow of Charles Greenberry (1672-1713) and daughter of John Stimpson; Philip Hammond (1697-1760), who married first, Comfort, and second, Rachel (1711-1781), daughter of John Brice (?-1713); John (?-1755), who married Ann, daughter of Edward Dorsey (?-1705); Rezin (?-1739); and Nathaniel (1708-1762), who married Ann Welsh. DAUGH-TERS: Mehitabel (Hamutel) (baptized 1713-?), who married Charles Worthington (1701-?), son of John Worthington (1650-1701); and Ruth (baptized 1713-?), who married first, in 1730 Peasley Ingram, and second, Thomas Franklin (ca. 1706-1788). PRIVATE CAREER. EDUCATION: literate. RE-LIGIOUS AFFILIATION: Anglican. SOCIAL STATUS AND ACTIVITIES: second generation burgess. OC-CUPATIONAL PROFILE: planter; merchant. PUBLIC CAREER. LEGISLATIVE SERVICE: Lower House, Anne Arundel County, 1710-1711 (elected to the 3rd session), 1712-1713 (died before the 3rd session). LOCAL OFFICE: justice, Anne Arundel County, by 1702-1713 (quorum, 1708-1713). MIL-ITARY SERVICE: officer, by 1696; major, 1708-1713. WEALTH DURING LIFETIME. LAND AT FIRST ELECTION: over 1,039 acres (796 acres inherited from his father). WEALTH AT DEATH, DIED: on November 23, 1713. PERSONAL PROPERTY: TEV, £1,090.14.0 sterling (including 14 slaves); FB, £1,056.10.2. LAND: ca. 1,500 acres.

HAMMOND, CHARLES (1692/93-1772). BORN: in 1692/93 in St. Anne's Parish, Anne

Arundel County; eldest son. NATIVE: fourth generation. RESIDED: on the north side of the Severn River, Anne Arundel County. FAMILY BACK-GROUND, FATHER: Charles Hammond (ca. 1670-1713), son of John Hammond (1643-1707). STEP-FATHER: Edmond Benson (1687-1734). MOTHER: Hannah, daughter of Philip Howard and wife Ruth Baldwin. UNCLES: Thomas Hammond (?-ca. 1724/25): John Hammond (1665-1742/43). John (?-1755); Philip Hammond BROTHERS: (1697-1760); Rezin (?-1739); and Nathaniel (1708-1762). SISTERS: Hamutel; Ruth, who married second, Thomas Franklin (ca. 1706-1787). FIRST COUSIN: Thomas Hammond (1693-?). NEPH-EWS: John Hammond (1735-1784); Rezin Hammond (1745-1809); Matthias Hammond (1740-1786); Nathan Hammond (1731-1811); and Rezin Hammond (?-1783). MARRIED on October 24, 1715, Rachel (?-1748/49), widow of Charles Greenberry (1672-1713); daughter of John Stimpson, Gent. (?-by 1692), of Anne Arundel County, and wife Rachel (?-after 1724), widow of Neale Clarke (?-1676); stepdaughter of Robert Proctor (?-by 1695), Richard Kilburne (?-by 1698), and Thomas Freeborne (?-1713); granddaughter of Richard Beard (?-1681). Her brother was John (?by 1718). Her sister was Comfort (ca. 1684-ca. 1747), who married John Dorsey (ca. 1682-?). Her nephew was John Hammond Dorsey (1718-1774). CHILDREN, DAUGHTER: Ann (1716-1785); who married first, Thomas Homewood, and second, William Govane (1716/17-1768). Hammond supported his daughter in her suit against William Govane (1716/17-1768) for cruelty and for the mismanagement of the estate of Thomas Homewood. Hammond assisted in the maintenance of his grandchildren, and after 1750 administered the Homewood estate. PRIVATE CAREER. EDUCATION: literate. RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION: Anglican, St. Margaret's Parish, Anne Arundel County. SOCIAL STATUS AND ACTIVITIES: Gent., 1718; Esq., by 1736; Hon., by 1748. OCCUPATIONAL PROFILE: planter: officeholder. PUBLIC CAREER. LEGISLA-TIVE SERVICE: Upper House, 1735/36-1737 (appointed before convention), 1738, 1739-1741, 1742-1744, 1745. 1745/46-1748, 1749-1751. 1751-1754, 1754-1757, 1757-1758, 1758-1761, 1762-1763, 1765-1766, 1768-1770, 1771. OTHER PROVINCIAL OFFICES: justice, Provincial Court, 1732-at least 1735 (quorum, 1734, 1735); commissioner of the Paper Currency Office, 1733/34-1766; Council, 1735-1772 (qualified on July 15, 1735; president 1768-1772); treasurer, Western Shore, 1736-1772. LOCAL OFFICES: justice, Court of Oyer and Terminer and Gaol Delivery, Anne